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NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANCE WITH 37 CFR 1.192(c)

The Appeal Brief filed 2/5/96 is defective for failure to comply with one or more provisions of 37 CFR 1.192(c). See 1092 O/G. 33, July 12, 1988 and MPEP §1206.

Applicant is given a TIME LIMIT of ONE MONTH from the date of this letter or any time remaining in the period under 37 CFR 1.192(a) for filing a new complete brief. If a new brief that fully complies with 37 CFR 1.192(c) is not timely submitted, the appeal will be dismissed as of the date of expiration of the period provided by 37 CFR 1.192(a). No extension of this one month time limit may be obtained under either 37 CFR 1.136(a) or (b) but the original two-month period under 37 CFR 1.192(a) for filing the brief may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a) up to six months from the date of the Notice of Appeal.

1. The brief does not contain the items required under 37 CFR 1.192(c), or the items are not under the proper heading or in the proper order. (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
2. The brief does not contain a statement of the status of all claims, pending or cancelled, or does not identify the appealed claims. 37 CFR 1.192(c)(1). (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
3. The brief does not contain a statement of the status of each amendment filed subsequent to the final rejection. 37 CFR 1.192(c)(2). (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
4. The brief does not contain a concise explanation of the claimed invention, referring to the specification by page and line number and to the drawing, if any, by reference characters. 37 CFR 1.192(c)(3). (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
5. The brief does not contain a concise statement of the issues presented for review. 37 CFR 1.192(c)(4) (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
6. The brief does not contain a correct copy of the appealed claims as an appendix thereto. 37 CFR 1.192(c)(7). (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
7. The brief does not present an argument under a separate heading for each issue on appeal. 37 CFR 1.192(c)(6). (See explanation in box 8 below, if appropriate.)
8. Explanation in support of items 1-7 above, if appropriate:

(See attachment)

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1. The appeal brief is lacking the presence of items under the appropriate headings of (1) Real party of interest; and (2) Related appeals and interferences. The new requirement of these two additional headings are published in the Federal Register on March 17, 1995 at 60 FR 14488 and in the Official Gazette on April 11, 1995 at 1173 Off. Gaz. Office 36, and have an effective date of April 21, 1995.

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Khoi Truong whose telephone number is (703) 305-4727. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Thursday from 8:30 AM-6:00 PM. The examiner can also be reached on alternate Fridays.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application should be directed to the Group receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 305-4700.

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